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TAGS:EAIR, MU, US

SUBJECT: FAA ASSISTANCE TO OMAN

REF:A) MUSCAT 948, (B) MUSCAT 949

BRUSSELS AND BEIRUT FOR FAA

1. PLEASE CONVEY TO UNDERSECRETARY SALIM BIN NASSIR AL-BUSAIDI FAA INTEREST IN OMAN GOVT REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL ASSISTANCE AS RELAYED BY WHEATLEY, REFTELS.

2. IN ORDER FOR FAA TO ACCURATELY ASSESS NATURE AND SCOPE OF REQUEST, FOLLOWING POINTS NEED CLARIFICATION:

(A) WHAT ARE SPECIFIC DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

UNDERSECRETARY ENVISIONS FOR WHEATLEY TO PERFORM WITH REGARD TO "AIR OPERATORS INSPECTION" (REF B PARA 2)?

(B) ASSUME WHEATLEY MAY PROVIDE ADVISORY ASSISTANCE IN DEVISING RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR AIR CARRIER (GULF) OPERATIONS AND MONITORING COMPLIANCE BUT OMAN GOVT WILL REMAIN FULLY RESPONSIBLE FOR ENFORCEMENT. PLEASE

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CONFIRM.

(C) DOES COMMENT REF B PARA 4 SIGNIFY DESIRE FOR ADDITIONAL ONGOING ASSISTANCE AND AUTHORIZATION ADDITIONAL CAAG POSITIONS? REQUEST CLARIFICATION TERM "INSPECTION ADVISORY ASSISTANCE".

D) SIZE OF AIR CARRIER FLEET AND PERSONNEL (REF 1, PARA A) SUGGEST SIGNIFICANT WORK LOAD NOT ONLY IN OPERATIONS AREA BUT MAINTENANCE, AVIONICS, ETC. WHAT ARE PLANS FOR DEVELOPMENT, IMPLEMENTATIONS, ENFORCEMENT OF RELATED RULES AND REGULATIONS?

3. APPRECIATE CLARIFICATION OF ABOVE POINTS SO THAT FAA CAN ADEQUATELY EVALUATE AND PROMPTLY REPLY TO UNDER-SECRETARY'S REQUEST. PREVIOUS GUIDELINE OBTAINS. INGERSOLL

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